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VIRGINIA'S WHEAT FORECAST UNCHANGED FROM MAY

Virginia's winter wheat crop for 2011 is expected to total 17,160,000 bushels, unchanged from the May forecast, according to the USDA/NASS Virginia Field Office. If realized, producers will more than double the previous year production of 8,160,000 bushels. Producers in the Commonwealth are expected to harvest 260,000 acres of wheat that will yield an average of 66 bushels per acre. As of early June, the majority of the wheat crop was in good to excellent condition.

U.S. WINTER WHEAT PRODUCTION DOWN 2 PERCENT FROM 2010

U.S. Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.45 billion bushels, up 2 percent from the May 1 forecast but 2 percent below 2010. Based on June 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 45.3 bushels per acre, up 0.8 bushel from last month but 1.5 bushels less than last year. Expected area for harvest as grain or seed totals 32.0 million acres, unchanged from May 1.

Winter Wheat for Virginia

Years	Planted		Harvested		Yield		Production	
	(1,000 Acres)		(1,000 Acres)		(bushels/Acre)		(1,000 bushels)	
2007	230		205		64.0		13,120	
2008	310		280		71.0		19,880	
2009	250		210		58.0		12,180	
2010	180		160		51.0		8,160	
2011	290		260		66.0		17,160	
Record High 1/	1937	668	1937	648	2008	71.0	2008	19,880
Record Low 1/	1966	163	1978	133	1932	10.8	1963	3,690

1/ 1930 to 2011 time frame.

CATTLE AND CALVES PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2005-2010

	Unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Cattle and Calves							
On Hand First of Year ^{1/}	<i>thous.</i>	1,640	1,660	1,620	1,570	1,470	1,550
Births	<i>thous.</i>	740	730	720	680	690	650
Inshipments	<i>thous.</i>	12	12	12	12	13	13
Marketings ^{2/}	<i>thous.</i>	644	703	703	707	546	590
Farm Slaughter ^{3/}	<i>thous.</i>	5	5	5	5	5	5
Deaths	<i>thous.</i>	83	74	74	80	72	78
Production ^{4/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	481,041	471,698	491,443	428,221	461,443	412,831
Marketings ^{5/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	450,000	503,600	498,980	496,700	379,960	421,760
Cattle (Avg. per 100 lbs.)	<i>dollars</i>	84.80	77.20	78.80	75.30	^{7/}	^{7/}
Calves (Avg. per 100 lbs.)	<i>dollars</i>	122.00	114.00	106.00	97.50	^{7/}	^{7/}
Cash Receipts ^{6/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	408,700	419,750	416,697	394,772	287,517	373,186
Value of Home Use	<i>thous. dols.</i>	14,620	14,126	14,076	13,344	13,018	15,033
Gross Income	<i>thous. dols.</i>	423,320	433,876	430,773	408,116	300,535	388,219

1/ Balance sheet estimates by State; the sum of inventory January 1, 2009, calf crop, and in-shipments is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths, and inventory January 1, 2010. 2/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and state out-shipments, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

3/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

4/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for in-shipments.

5/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the State.

6/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

7/ Discontinued

HOG AND PIG PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2005-2010

	Unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Hogs and Pigs							
On Hand First of Year ^{1/}	<i>thous.</i>	375	490	365	370	355	360
Births	<i>thous.</i>	544	548	549	528	488	504
Inshipments	<i>thous.</i>	50	50	50	50	52	82
Marketings ^{2/}	<i>thous.</i>	429	656	517	522	475	530
Farm Slaughter ^{3/}	<i>thous.</i>	2	2	2	2	2	2
Deaths	<i>thous.</i>	48	65	75	69	58	59
Production ^{4/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	120,310	147,598	130,071	126,031	110,902	113,738
Marketings ^{5/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	105,300	163,130	128,410	125,288	111,400	116,235
Average Price Per 100 Lbs.	<i>dollars</i>	46.60	42.60	45.20	45.50	8/	8/
Cash Receipts ^{6/ 7/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	49,260	69,680	58,201	57,796	49,866	62,609
Value of Home Use	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	1,135	1,073	932	1,021	924	1,083
Gross Income	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	50,395	70,753	59,133	58,817	50,790	63,692

1/ Balance sheet estimates by State; the sum of inventory December 1, 2008, pig crop, and in-shipments is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths, and inventory December 1, 2009.

2/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and State out-shipments, but excludes inter-farm sales within the State.

3/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

4/ Adjustment made for changes in inventory and for in-shipments.

5/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the State.

6/ Includes allowance for higher average price of state in-shipment and out-shipments of feeder pigs. 7/ Receipts from marketing and sale of farm slaughter.

8/ Discontinued

SHEEP AND LAMB PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2005-2010

	Unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Sheep and Lambs							
On Hand First of Year ^{1/}	<i>thous.</i>	61	67	72	81	75	89
Births	<i>thous.</i>	48	51	57	60	63	64
In shipments	<i>thous.</i>	4	4	4	2	3	3
Marketings ^{2/}	<i>thous.</i>	31.0	35.0	35.0	52.0	36.5	51.0
Farm Slaughter ^{3/}	<i>thous.</i>	2	2	2	3	3	3
Deaths	<i>thous.</i>	13.0	13.0	15.0	13.0	12.5	12.0
Production ^{4/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	3,688	3,974	4,425	5,081	5,526	5,362
Marketings ^{5/}	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	3,090	3,580	3,145	5,450	3,681	5,365
Sheep	<i>dollars/cwt</i>	42.90	38.00	37.40	33.40	^{7/}	^{7/}
Lambs	<i>dollars/cwt</i>	108.00	101.00	105.00	110.00	^{7/}	^{7/}
Cash Receipts ^{6/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	3,148	3,250	3,204	4,884	4,086	5,583
Value of Home Consumption	<i>thous. dols.</i>	328	305	634	475	495	527
Gross Income	<i>thous. dols.</i>	3,476	3,555	3,838	5,359	4,581	6,110

1/ Balance sheet estimates by State; the sum of inventory January 1, 2009, lamb crop, and in-shipments is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths, and inventory January 1, 2010. 2/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and state out-shipments, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

3/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

4/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for in-shipments.

5/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

6/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter. 7/Discontinued

POULTRY PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2006-2010 ^{1/}

	Unit	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Eggs						
Eggs Produced	<i>million</i>	806	794	726	721	729
Price Per Dozen ^{2/}	<i>cents</i>	99.4	119.0	127.0	^{9/}	^{9/}
Value of Production	<i>thous. dols.</i>	66,769	78,991	77,103	66,223	77,332
Commercial Broilers ^{3/}						
Number Raised	<i>thous. head</i>	256,200	250,200	250,300	240,800	250,400
Pounds Produced	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	1,332,200	1,301,000	1,251,500	1,204,000	1,292,100
Price Per Pound ^{4/}	<i>cents</i>	36.0	43.0	.460	^{9/}	^{9/}
Value of Production ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	479,592	559,430	575,690	550,228	622,792
Turkeys						
Number Raised ^{6/}	<i>thous. head</i>	18,600	18,500	18,000	17,000	17,000
Pounds Produced	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	479,880	482,850	484,200	448,800	459,000
Price Per Pound ^{7/}	<i>cents</i>	48.0	52.0	56.0	^{9/}	^{9/}
Value of Production ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	230,342	251,082	271,152	215,424	284,580
Chickens ^{8/}						
Number Sold	<i>thous. head</i>	2,827	2,461	2,921	2,553	2,273
Pounds Sold	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	22,051	19,196	17,818	16,595	15,911
Price Per Pound	<i>cents</i>	8.4	8.4	8.0	^{9/}	^{9/}
Value of Sales ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	1,852	1,612	1,425	1,626	1,766

1/ Annual estimates cover the period from Dec. 1 the previous year through Nov. 30. 2/ Average of all eggs sold by producers, including hatching eggs. 3/ Broiler production including other domestic meat-type breeds. 4/ Price per pound-Liveweight equivalent prices, derived from ready-to-cook (RTC) prices using the following formula; RTC price minus processing cost X (dressing percentage) = Liveweight equivalent price. 5/ Includes home consumption. 6/ Based on turkeys placed Sept. 1, previous year through August 31, current year. Excludes young turkeys lost. 7/ Prices are equivalent liveweight returns to producers. 8/ Estimates cover the 12 month period from Dec. 1, the previous year through Nov. 30 and excludes broilers. 9/ Discontinued.

MILK PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2005-2010

	Unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Milk Cows on Farms ^{1/}	<i>thous.</i>	105	102	100	98	96	95
Milk Production ^{2/}							
Milk Per Cow	<i>lbs.</i>	16,990	17,363	17,530	17,612	18,083	18,095
Milkfat Per Cow	<i>lbs.</i>	607	629	643	646	662	659
Total Milk	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	1,784	1,771	1,753	1,726	1,736	1,719
Total Milkfat	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	63.7	64.1	64.3	63.3	63.5	62.6
Milk Used Where Produced							
Fed to Calves ^{2/}	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	6	6	6	6	6	6
Milk, Cream & Butter	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	2	2	2	2	2	2
Total Used on Farm	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	8	8	8	8	8	8
Milk Marketed by Producers							
Total Milk Marketings ^{3/}	<i>mil. lbs.</i>	1,776	1,763	1,745	1,718	1,728	1,711
Combined Price Per 100 lbs.	<i>dols.</i>	16.50	15.10	21.30	21.60	15.30	19.40
Cash Receipts	<i>thous. dols.</i>	293,040	266,213	371,685	371,088	264,384	331,934
Value of Milk Used							
Value of Milk Used Where Produced ^{4/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	330	302	426	432	306	388
Gross Producer Income ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	293,370	266,515	372,111	371,520	264,690	332,322
Value of Milk Produced ^{4/ 6/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	294,360	267,421	373,389	372,816	265,608	333,486

1/ Average number during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh.

2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

3/ Milk sold to plants and dealers as whole milk and equivalent amounts of milk for cream.

Includes milk produced by dealer's own herds, and small amounts sold directly to consumers. Also includes milk produced by institutional herds.

4/ Valued at average returns per 100 pounds of milk in combined marketings of milk and cream.

5/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption.

6/ Includes value of milk fed to calves.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS ^{1/}

Commodity	Unit	Virginia			United States			Parity Prices May 2011 ^{9/}
		May 2010	April 2011	May 2011	May 2010	April 2011	May 2011	
		-Dollars-			-Dollars-			
Wheat (Winter) ^{2/}	Bu.	4.09	7.20	6.78	4.21	7.39	7.70	16.50
Corn	Bu.	3.74	7.08	6.76	3.48	6.35	6.15	10.40
Barley (All)	Bu.	2.65	5.27	4.74	4.25	4.27	4.57	11.60
Hay, Baled: All ^{3/}	Ton	137.00	148.00	159.00	116.00	141.00	169.00	—
Alfalfa ^{3/}	Ton	155.00	182.00	190.00	121.00	155.00	186.00	—
Other ^{3/}	Ton	135.00	145.00	156.00	100.00	103.00	112.00	—
All Tobacco	Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	—
Peanuts	Lb.	0.220	--	0.219	0.205	0.232	0.227	0.734
Soybeans	Bu.	8.93	12.99	12.83	9.41	13.10	13.00	25.80
Apples, For Fresh Use	Lb.	--	0.370	--	0.309	0.266	0.259	0.897
Potatoes	Cwt.	--	--	--	8.57	11.17	11.26	22.70
Oats	Bu.	2.28	2.95	3.10	2.19	3.53	3.49	6.80
Beef Cattle ^{10/}	Cwt.	83.30	7/	7/	94.70	119.00	115.00	275.00
Cows	Cwt.	51.20	7/	7/	59.00	78.90	79.10	—
Steers and Heifers	Cwt.	103.00	7/	7/	99.70	122.00	118.00	—
Calves	Cwt.	118.00	7/	7/	124.00	147.00	141.00	383.00
Hogs (All)	Cwt.	--	--	--	62.20	67.70	67.80	150.00
Milk: All, Wholesale ^{4/ 8/}	Cwt.	17.60	22.90	23.10	15.00	19.60	19.40	49.50
Fluid Consumption ^{8/}	Cwt.	17.60	--	--	15.00	19.60	19.40	—
Market Eggs ^{3/ 5/}	Doz.	0.58	0.94	0.72	0.441	0.887	0.622	2.47
Broilers, Live ^{6/}	Lb.	7/	7/	7/	0.520	0.490	0.500	—
Turkeys, Live ^{3/ 6/}	Lb.	7/	7/	7/	0.561	0.654	0.682	1.520

-- No sales indicated or not available. 1/ Current month prices are mid-month prices, other months are entire month prices except where noted. 2/ Parity price is for All Wheat. 3/ All prices are mid-month. 4/ Before deductions for hauling and govt. withholding, but includes bulk tank, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies. 5/ Includes eggs sold retail by the producer. 6/ Equivalent live weight returns to producers for most states. 7/ Discontinued. 8/ May 2011 fat test percent: all milk 3.64, fluid milk N/A, mfg. grade N/A. 9/ Adjusted base price 1910-14 derived by dividing the average of 10 seasons average prices 1996 – 2005, including an allowance where appropriate for unredeemed loans and other supplemental payments resulting from price support operations, by 716 percent (120-month, Jan 1996–Dec 2005 average of the index of prices received by farmers adjusted to include an allowance for unredeemed loans and other supplemental payments) unless otherwise noted. 10/ "Cows" and "Steers and Heifers" combined.

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